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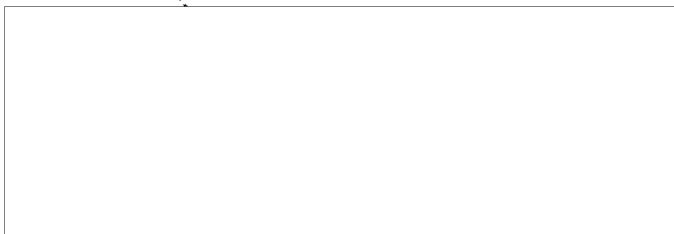
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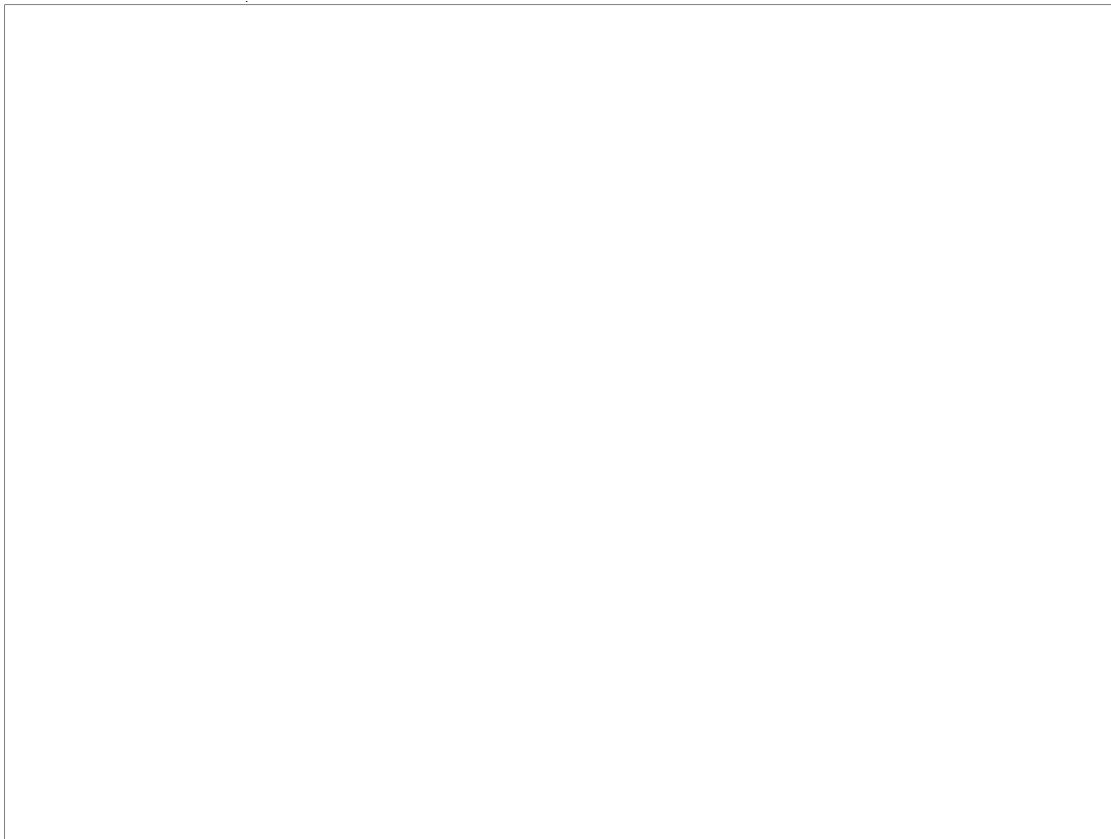
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THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT OF THE POLISH PLANNING COMMISSION (S)



Summary: This report gives [redacted] supplementary information concerning the organization of the Military Department of the Planning Commission of the Council of Ministers (Departament Wojskowy Komisji Planowania przy Radzie Ministrow), the location of the top secret bill of the Council of Ministers concerning the supply of the armed forces (Uchwala Rady Ministrow O dostawach dla Sil Zbrojnych), and the location of records containing data on production of military end items.

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Until the summer of 1957, the Military Department of the Planning Commission was composed of the Office of the Chief of the Military Department and eight Sections-- three concerned with supply; three concerned with industry; one concerned with investments; and one other [redacted] (see Annex A). There were about 250 persons employed in the Military Department.

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In 1957, the chief of the Military Department was Brig Gen WALUCHOWSKI, (fnu). He had two titles: Chief of the Military Department (Szef Zespolu Wojskowego), and Deputy Chairman of the Planning Commission (Zastepca Przewodniczacego Komisji Planowania przy Radzie Ministrow). Gen WALUCHOWSKI had one assistant, Col Graj WARONSKI, who was both Assistant Chief of the Military Department (Zastepca Szefa Zespolu Wojskowego) and General Director in the Military Department of the Planning Commission (Generalny Dyrektor w Zespole Wojskowym Komisji Planowania).

The head of each of the eight sections had the title of Director (Kierownik) and were considered the same in rank as a director of any civilian department. [redacted] about 50 percent of the directors were civilian and the remainder were military (names and ranks unknown). Besides the director in each section there were about 30 employees. [redacted] complete name of [redacted] one section - the Chemical and Electrotechnical Industry Section (Dzial Przemyslu Chemicznego i Elektrotechnicznego).

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The mission of the Military Department of the Planning Commission was to represent the military interests in all economic planning phases of the government and to maintain close supervision over domestic production and import to insure the fulfillment of military orders. This close supervision was carried out by the eight sections and the Military Departments at lower echelons - within ministries and central

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administrations. The Military Department of the Planning Commission did not concern itself with the determination of military needs, but only with procurement based on the Bill of the Council of Ministers concerning the Supply of the Armed Forces (Uchwała Rady Ministrów o Dostawach dla Sił Zbrojnych). The only information about the determination of military requirements was that it was the function of some agency within the Rear Services (Sluzba Tylow) under the Ministry of National Defense (MON). The Military Department of the Planning Commission received the determined needs of the military from MON in letter form (List Zapotrzebowania), and used it as a basis for its demands before the Planning Commission. After the Planning Commission had reviewed the military demands and the civilian requests and made its recommendations to the Council of Ministers, the Council of Ministers acted on these recommendations, making them law. The law or bill relating to the military was called the Bill of the Council of Ministers Concerning the Supply of the Armed Forces. Once this bill was passed, it was the job of the Military Department of the Planning Commission to keep close account of the fulfillment of the terms of the bill.

[redacted] from 1948 to 1950, there were only 40 to 50 persons in the Military Department of the Planning Commission. During this time it was called a department (Departament Wojskowy) and was headed by civilian engineer Fryderek TOPOLSKI. In 1951, this small department was replaced by the larger organization (Zespol Wojskowy), headed by Brig Gen JAROSZEWICZ, (fnu), who expanded the size to about 300 persons. After that time, however, there were several drives to cut the number of personnel employed in government administrative work. By 1957, the number was reduced by one-sixth. [redacted] the number employed in 1958 might even be less than in 1957.

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[redacted] the top secret laws referred to on page 5 of referenced report (Uchwała Rady Ministrów o Dostawach dla Sił Zbrojnych).

[redacted] the complete law was kept in only three places: in the Top Secret records library of the Military Department of the Planning Commission; in the Top Secret records library of the Office of the Council of Ministers; and in the Ministry of National Defense.

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1. Exact Locations

a. Military Department of the Planning Commission

The Top Secret records library of the Military Department of the Planning Commission was located on the fifth floor (top floor) (European system fourth floor) of the building housing the Planning Commission, on Plac Trzech Krzyzy (see Annex B). The area on the fifth floor, as shown on Annex B, was entirely closed off from the rest of the offices on the floor. A special pass was required to enter this area [redacted] Also located on the same floor was the personnel department of the Planning Commission. [redacted]

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b. Office of the Council of Ministers

The Top Secret records library of the Council of Ministers (Urząd Rady Ministrów) was located on the second floor (first floor, European system) of the Council of Ministers building, number one and three Aleje Ujazdowskie (see Annex C). This building was a four-story (three-story, European system) building situated directly across the street from a park. [redacted] access to this area would be freer than the others. The second floor also contained the offices of Premier CYRANKIEWICZ and Vice Premier JAROSZEWICZ. In a room adjoining the Top Secret records library was the office of the General Secretary of the Council of Ministers (Sekretarz Generalny Rady Ministrów), Professor ROZMARYN, (fnu), who was also the Chief of Protocol of the Session of Council of Ministers (Szef Protokółu Posiedzeń Rady Ministrów). Professor ROZMARYN's major duty was to read all bills passed by the Council of Ministers and make necessary distribution of the bills to all ministries concerned. In the case of classified bills, he sent only that part of the bill which affected the particular ministry. Professor ROZMARYN had access to all bills, regardless of classification; he had performed this duty since shortly after WW II. [redacted]

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c. Ministry of National Defense (MON)

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Fragments of the bill were kept at Ministry level in the Secret records library of the Military Department of each affected Ministry (each Ministry which produced for the military).

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[redacted] the Military Department of a Ministry was usually located on the top floor of the Ministry building along with the personnel department. There were also orders and instructions based on these fragments at affected Central Administrations, enterprises, and factories.

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Fragments of the bill affecting the consumption of such materials as colored metals, rubber, and other critical items were also kept by the Department of Material Accounting (Departament Bilansów Materialowych).

[redacted] records containing data on production of military end items.

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[redacted] complete records were kept at MON and [redacted] fragments of the records were kept at the Military Departments of all affected ministries.

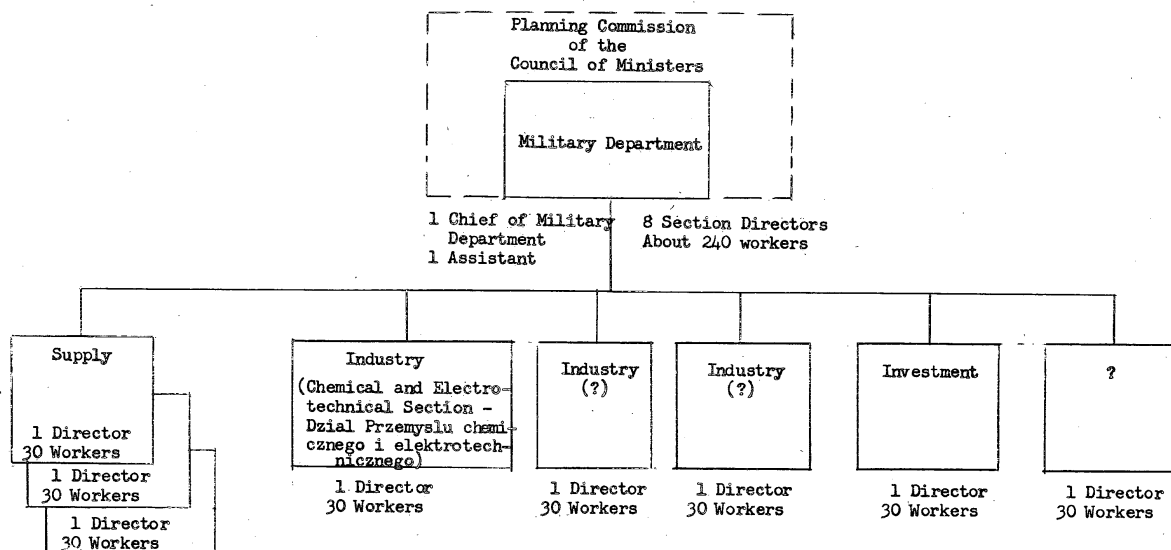
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Annex A

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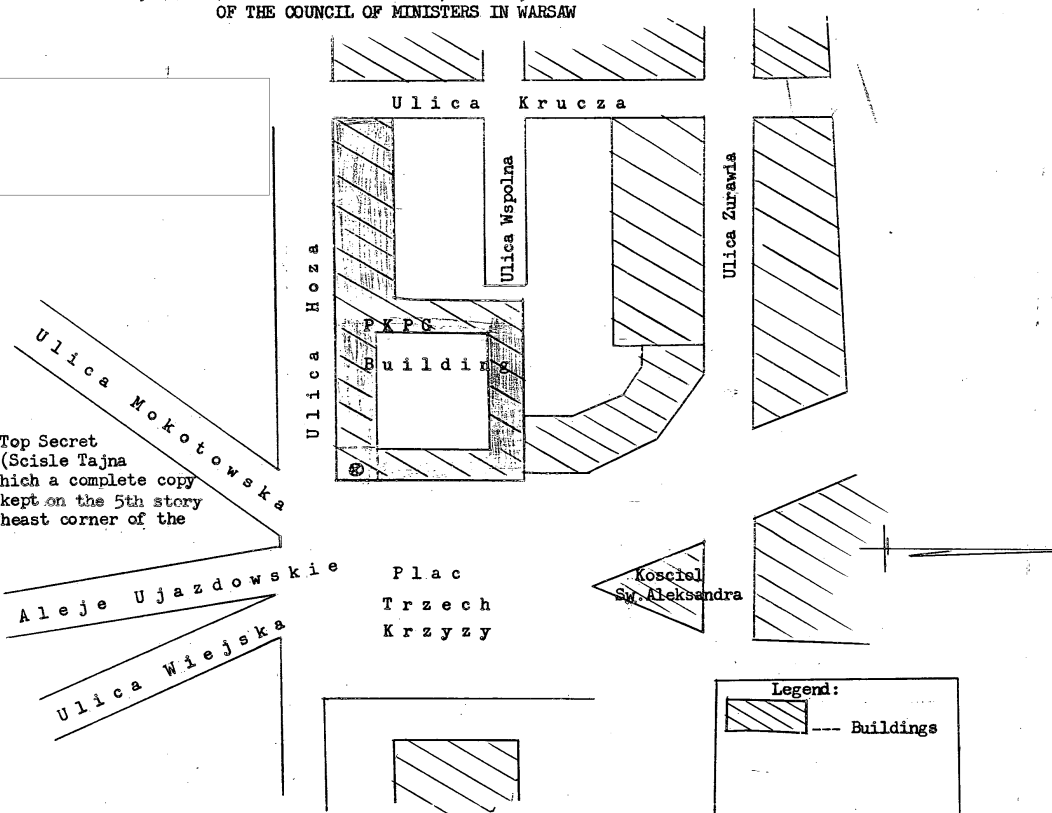
Annex B

EXACT LOCATION OF SECRET BILL, CONCERNING THE SUPPLY OF ARMED FORCES, IN THE BUILDING OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS IN WARSAW

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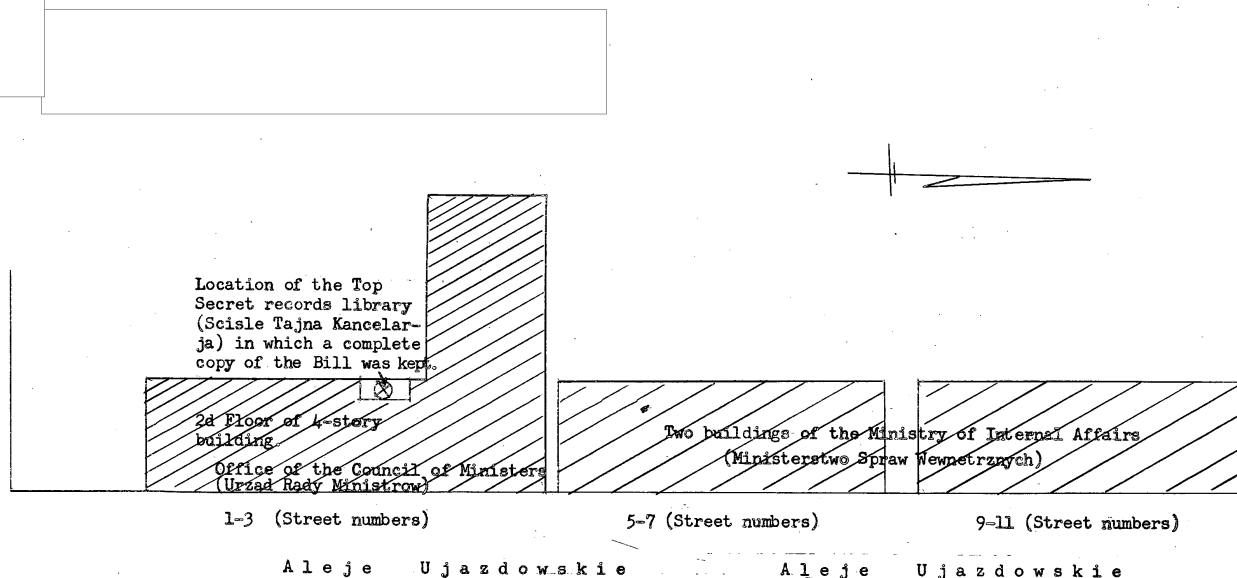
Location of the Top Secret records library (Scisle Tajna Kancelarja) in which a complete copy of the Bill was kept on the 5th story (top floor) southeast corner of the building.



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Annex C

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